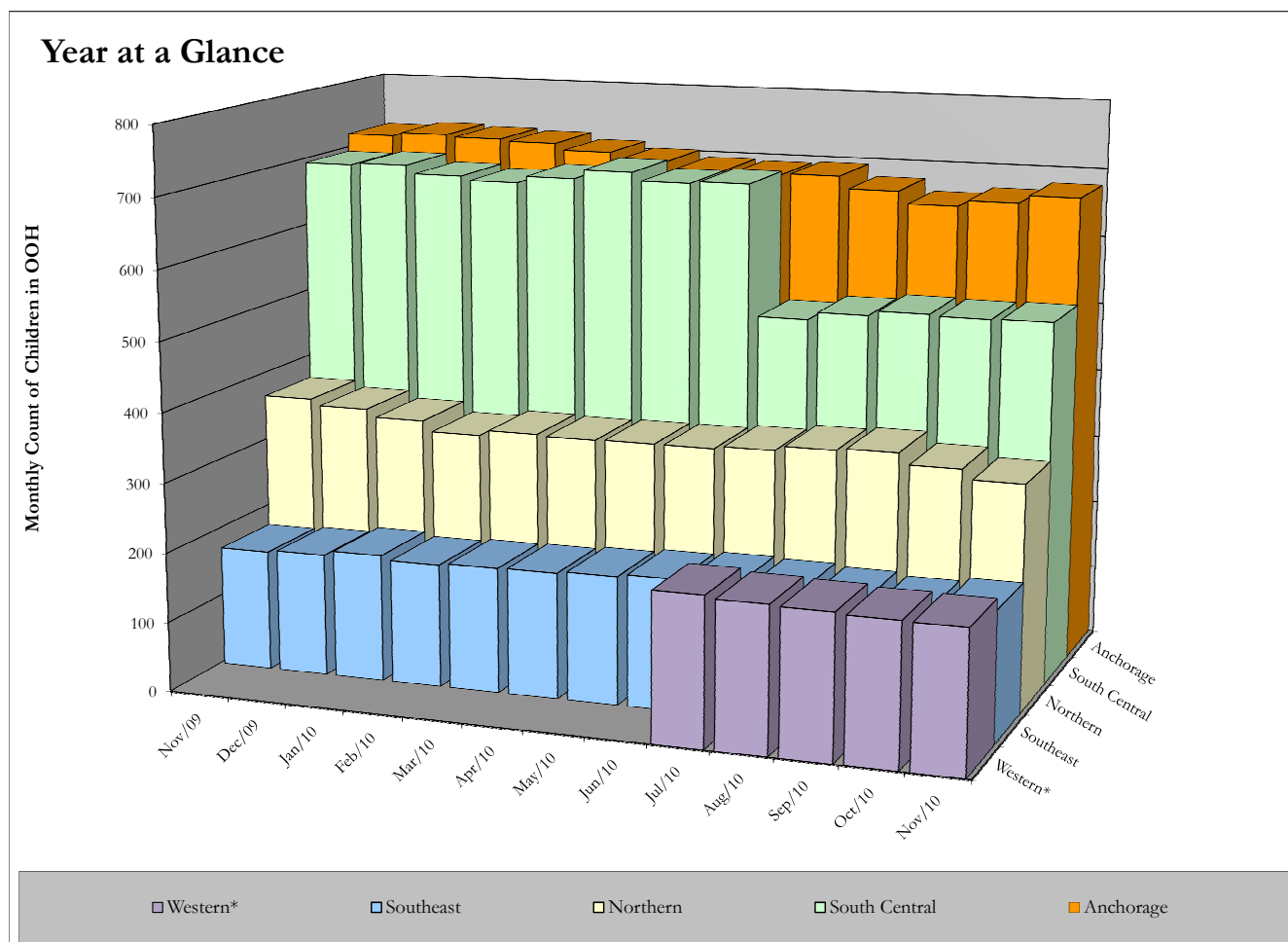


***All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement between November, 2009, and November, 2010, by Region.***

Region	Nov-09	Dec-09	Jan-10	Feb-10	Mar-10	Apr-10	May-10	Jun-10	Jul-10	Aug-10	Sep-10	Oct-10	Nov-10
Anchorage	722	727	724	721	711	701	691	689	691	673	655	664	675
Northern	368	359	348	333	341	339	340	340	344	351	354	338	324
South Central	695	698	686	680	690	703	691	694	504	515	522	520	521
Southeast	173	176	183	177	180	181	184	188	192	190	186	181	186
Western*									212	208	206	203	202
Total	2,203	2,195	2,170	2,133	2,139	2,149	2,117	2,124	1,943	1,937	1,923	1,906	1,908

Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment.



\*The Western Region was created on July 1st, 2010, and includes the communities of Aniak, Bethel, and St. Mary's. These were formerly part of the South Central Region  
Data Source: ORCA. Program used to tabulate statistics: monthly\_ooh\_web.sas.

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